



**BEE NETWORK**

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From 9 February

**216**


Due to roadworks in Stalybridge town centre, journeys serving Stalybridge will only run to/from the bus station instead of Armentieres Square

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Bus

**Temporary**

**216**

 Easy access on all buses

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Ashton-under-Lyne

Audenshaw

Droylsden

Clayton

Ancoats

Manchester

Including Monday to Friday early morning/  
early evening journeys to/from Stalybridge

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**From 9 February 2026**

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For public transport information  
visit **beenetwork.com**

or phone **0161 244 1000**

7am – 8pm Mon to Fri

8am – 8pm Sat, Sun & public holidays

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 Transport for  
Greater Manchester

This timetable is also available at [beenetwork.com](http://beenetwork.com)

For information about using public transport phone our friendly team on **0161 244 1000** 7am – 8pm Mon to Fri 8am – 8pm Sat, Sun and public holidays or download the Bee Network app

## Other formats

To ask for leaflets to be sent to you, or to request large print, Braille or recorded information phone **0161 244 1000** or visit [beenetwork.com](http://beenetwork.com)

## Easy access on buses

 All buses have no steps at the entrance, making getting on and off easier. Low floor buses have a ramp for access and a dedicated space for wheelchairs and pushchairs inside the bus. Ask the driver for any assistance you require.

## Using this timetable

Timetables show the direction of travel, bus numbers and the days of the week. Main stops on the route are listed on the left. Where no time is shown against a particular stop, it means the bus does not stop there on that journey.

Check any letters which are shown in the timetable against the key at the bottom of the page.

## Where to find information about service changes

Visit [beenetwork.com](http://beenetwork.com) or download the Bee Network app.

Check the service change posters displayed in the bus station or pick up a service change leaflet from your local library, town hall, shops, post office, community centre and lots of other places.

## Lost property

For lost property information visit [beenetwork.com/lost-property](http://beenetwork.com/lost-property)

## Using the 24 hour clock

Times are shown in four figures. The first two are the hour and the last two are the minutes.

0753 is 53 minutes past 7am morning.

1953 is 53 minutes past 7pm evening.



## Information and tickets

There's a range of tickets to use on buses and multi-modal tickets for buses, trams and trains. For more information on which is the best ticket for you, visit [beenetwork.com](http://beenetwork.com), download the Bee Network app or call into one of our information and ticket offices in bus stations where the team will provide you with journey planning advice on buses, trams and trains.

### Ashton-under-Lyne Interchange

Monday to Friday: 7am – 5.30pm  
Saturday: 8.30am – 1.15pm and 2pm – 4pm  
Sunday and public holidays: Closed

### Manchester Shudehill Interchange










Monday to Saturday: 7am – 6pm  
Sunday and public holidays: 8.30am – 4pm

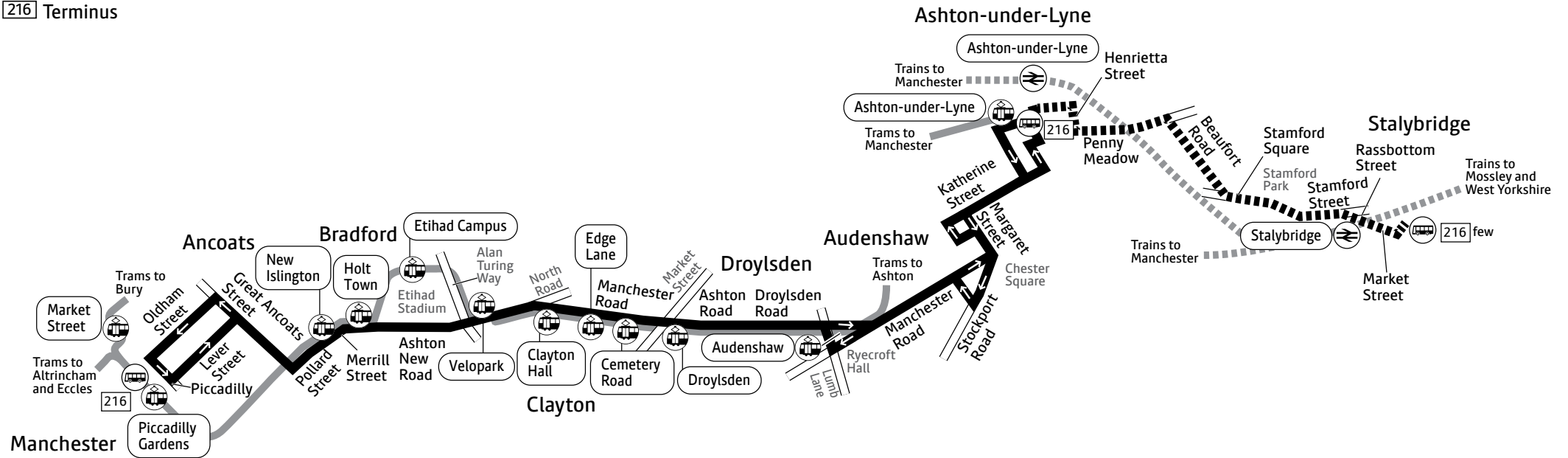
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## Key

-  Bus route
-  Some Monday to Friday peak period journeys
-  Train line
-  Tram line
-  Direction of travel
-  Bus station/connection point
-  Train station
-  Metrolink stop
-  Terminus



## Saturdays

Ashton Interchange	0524	0554	0614	0634	0654	0709	0724	0738	0751	0805	0820	0835	0850	0905	0920	0934	0946	0958	1010
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0535	0605	0625	0645	0705	0720	0735	0749	0802	0819	0834	0849	0904	0919	0934	0948	1000	1012	1024
Sportcity	0545	0615	0635	0655	0715	0730	0745	0759	0812	0829	0844	0859	0914	0929	0944	0958	1010	1022	1034
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0555	0625	0645	0705	0725	0740	0755	0810	0823	0840	0855	0910	0925	0940	0955	1009	1021	1033	1045

Ashton Interchange	1022	1034	1046	and		1822	1835	1850	1905	and		2105	2135	2205	2235	2335	0000	0030	0130
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1036	1048	1100	every		1836	1846	1901	1916	every		2116	2146	2216	2246	2346	0010	0040	0140
Sportcity	1046	1058	1110	12 mins		1846	1856	1910	1925	15 mins		2125	2155	2225	2255	2355	0017	0047	0147
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1057	1109	1123	until		1859	1909	1923	1936	until		2136	2206	2236	2306	0006	0027	0057	0157

Ashton Interchange	0230
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0240
Sportcity	0247
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0257

## Sundays and public holidays (except Christmas and New Year period)

Ashton Interchange	0534	0604	0634	0704	0734	0800	0820	0840	0900	0920	0940	1000	1013	1026	1039	1054	1109	1124	1139
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0545	0615	0645	0715	0745	0811	0831	0851	0912	0932	0952	1013	1026	1039	1052	1107	1122	1137	1152
Sportcity	0555	0625	0655	0725	0755	0821	0841	0901	0923	0943	1003	1024	1037	1050	1103	1118	1133	1148	1203
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0605	0635	0705	0735	0805	0831	0851	0911	0934	0954	1014	1035	1048	1101	1118	1133	1148	1203	1218

Ashton Interchange	1154	and	1354	1409	and		1709	1725	1740	1800	1820	1840	1905	and		2205	2245
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1207	every	1407	1421	every		1721	1737	1752	1810	1830	1850	1915	every		2215	2255
Sportcity	1218	15 mins	1418	1432	15 mins		1732	1748	1803	1821	1841	1901	1924	30 mins		2224	2304
Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1233	until	1433	1447	until		1747	1803	1818	1835	1855	1912	1935	until		2235	2315

For details of buses during the Christmas and New Year period, please phone 0161 244 1000

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♿ – All bus 216 journeys are run using easy access buses. See inside front cover of this leaflet for details

# Manchester — Clayton — Droylsden — Ashton

## Including some Monday to Friday early evening journeys to Stalybridge

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### Mondays to Fridays

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0529	0549	0609	0629	0639	0649	0659	0709	0719	0726	0733	0740	0747	0755	0803	0811	0820	0829	0838
Sportcity	0539	0559	0619	0639	0649	0659	0709	0719	0731	0738	0745	0752	0759	0807	0815	0823	0832	0841	0850
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0547	0607	0627	0647	0657	0707	0720	0730	0742	0749	0756	0803	0810	0818	0826	0834	0843	0852	0901
Ashton Interchange	0558	0618	0638	0659	0709	0719	0732	0742	0754	0801	0808	0817	0824	0832	0840	0848	0857	0906	0915

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0847	0854	0902	0910	0918	0928	0937	0947	0957	1007	1017	1028	and	1352	1404	1416	1428	1440
Sportcity	0859	0906	0913	0921	0929	0939	0948	0958	1008	1018	1028	1039	every	1403	1416	1428	1440	1452
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0910	0917	0924	0932	0940	0950	0959	1009	1019	1029	1039	1050	12 mins	1414	1427	1439	1452	1504
Ashton Interchange	0924	0931	0938	0946	0954	1004	1013	1023	1033	1043	1053	1104	until	1428	1441	1456	1509	1521

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1452	1504	1516	1528	1540	1552	1604	1617	1628	1638	1648	1658	1708	1718	1728	1738	1748	1758	1808
Sportcity	1504	1519	1531	1543	1555	1607	1619	1632	1643	1653	1703	1713	1723	1733	1743	1753	1803	1813	1820
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1516	1531	1545	1557	1609	1621	1633	1646	1657	1707	1717	1727	1737	1745	1755	1805	1815	1825	1832
Ashton Interchange	1533	1548	1602	1614	1627	1639	1651	1704	1715	1725	1735	1745	1755	1803	1813	1822	1832	1842	1847
Stalybridge, Bus Station																			1854

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1818	1828	1838	1848	1858	1908	1918	1928	1940	1955	2010	2025	2040	2055	2110	2125	2140	2155	2210
Sportcity	1830	1840	1850	1900	1910	1920	1928	1938	1950	2005	2020	2035	2050	2105	2120	2135	2150	2205	2220
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1841	1851	1901	1910	1920	1930	1938	1948	2000	2014	2029	2044	2059	2114	2129	2144	2159	2213	2228
Ashton Interchange	1856	1906	1914	1923	1933	1943	1951	2001	2013	2027	2042	2057	2112	2125	2140	2155	2210	2224	2239
Stalybridge, Bus Station	1908																		

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Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	2225	2240	2310	0010	0100	0200	0300												
Sportcity	2235	2250	2320	0020	0110	0210	0310												
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	2243	2258	2328	0028	0118	0218	0318												
Ashton Interchange	2254	2309	2339	0039	0126	0226	0326												

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F – Friday nights/Saturday mornings only

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## Saturdays

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0600	0630	0650	0710	0730	0745	0800	0815	0830	0845	0900	0915	0928	0940	0952	1004	1016	1028	1040
Sportcity	0610	0640	0700	0720	0740	0755	0810	0825	0840	0855	0911	0926	0939	0951	1003	1015	1027	1039	1051
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0618	0648	0708	0728	0748	0803	0818	0833	0848	0903	0922	0937	0950	1002	1014	1026	1038	1050	1102
Ashton Interchange	0629	0659	0719	0739	0759	0815	0830	0845	0900	0915	0935	0950	1003	1015	1027	1039	1051	1103	1115

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1052	and		1828	1840	1852	1904	1916	1928	1941	1956	and		2126	2141	2211	2241	2311	0011
Sportcity	1103	every		1839	1851	1903	1914	1926	1938	1951	2006	every		2136	2151	2221	2251	2321	0021
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1114	12 mins		1850	1902	1913	1924	1936	1948	2001	2016	15 mins		2146	2201	2231	2301	2331	0029
Ashton Interchange	1127	until		1903	1914	1925	1936	1948	2000	2013	2028	until		2158	2212	2242	2312	2342	0040

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0100	0200	0300
Sportcity	0110	0210	0310
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0118	0218	0318
Ashton Interchange	0129	0229	0329

## Sundays and public holidays (except Christmas and New Year period)

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	0610	0640	0710	0740	0810	0835	0855	0915	0935	0955	1010	1025	1040	1055	and		1725	1740	1755
Sportcity	0620	0650	0720	0750	0820	0845	0905	0925	0945	1005	1021	1036	1051	1106	every		1736	1750	1805
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	0628	0658	0728	0758	0828	0853	0915	0935	0955	1015	1031	1046	1101	1118	15 mins		1748	1801	1816
Ashton Interchange	0639	0709	0739	0809	0839	0904	0927	0947	1007	1027	1043	1058	1115	1132	until		1802	1815	1830

Manchester, Piccadilly Gardens	1810	1825	1840	1900	1920	1940	2010	2040	2110	2140	2210	2240	2320
Sportcity	1820	1835	1850	1910	1930	1950	2020	2050	2120	2150	2220	2250	2330
Droylsden, Metrolink Stop	1831	1846	1903	1920	1940	2000	2030	2100	2128	2158	2228	2258	2338
Ashton Interchange	1845	1900	1914	1931	1951	2011	2041	2111	2139	2209	2239	2309	2349

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